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ANNOUNCEMENT

SUBJECT: CENTERWIDE TRAFFIC DISRUPTIONS – Saturday, July 31, 2004

In an effort to keep you informed of disruptions to traffic flows and parking on Community Day, July 31, 2004, please read this announcement in its entirety.

ENTRY INTO GSFC

All employees attending Community Day **MUST enter through the Parkway Gate**. Event parking has been set aside for you near Buildings 1 and 8. Please note that all non badged guests in your vehicle will be processed through security at the Parkway Gate. There are no exceptions. All guests are permitted in the event areas **ONLY**.

Employees working on Center can use any gate except the Main Gate on Greenbelt Road. The Main Gate on Greenbelt Road will be closed to all vehicular traffic from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

TRAFFIC AND PARKING DISRUPTIONS

Please note that non-employees will **NOT** be allowed to drive vehicles onto the center. From 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., the following restrictions are in place:

Mall Area

Starting at 9:30 a.m. until the end of the event, traffic will not be allowed to drive on Goddard Road between Building 8 and the Main Gate. Traffic will also be restricted on Explorer Road between Building 1 and Building 3. The area immediately adjacent to the Mall will be a pedestrian only zone from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Please avoid this area as you travel through the main campus.

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Building 1

The parking spaces in the front of Building 1, along with the horseshoe loop, will be closed. Please use the parking on the backside of Building 1 located near the GEWA store.

Building 3

The parking along the access road running parallel to Building 3 will not be accessible. Please park on the backside of Building 14.

Building 8

The 1-hour parking spaces and reserved parking lot in the front of Building 8 will be closed to regular traffic. Please park in Lot 8 across Goddard Road from Building 8.

Building 32

The parking lot and loading dock areas of Building 32 will be used for shuttle bus loading and unloading, handicapped parking, and as a staging area for several exhibits. Please park in the Building 33 parking lot and walk to Building 32 via the connecting pathway.

Visitor Center – Building 88

Access to the parking lot located at the Visitor Center will be restricted to bus traffic only starting at 10:00 a.m. Please park in the Building 17 parking lot inside the gate and walk out of the gate and up to the Visitor Center.

Recreation Center – Building 92

Access to the Recreation Center will be restricted to buses only. Please park at Building 33 and take the tour shuttle bus to the Recreation Center.

YOUR COOPERATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!

We thank you for making note of these disruptions on Saturday, July 31, 2004. Please drive with caution and care all day, as there will be many visitors and guests on Center. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Public Affairs at (301) 286-8955.

For more information about Community Day, visit online at <http://community.gsfc.nasa.gov> or by calling (301) 286-NEWS.

We appreciate your cooperation,



Mark Hess
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